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DAFFODILS - NARCISSESS

PRICES LISTED ARE FOR TOP SIZED DOUBLE NOSED BULBS WHEREVER POSSIBLE



GIANT TRUMPET DAFFODILS

BEERSHEBA An immense white daffodil measuring nearly 5" across. Granted a first award by the Royal Horticultural Society. A collector's bulb.

ea \$1.50, 3 for \$4.25

DIOTIMA An amazing yellow flower, deep golden yellow, 6" across and carried 2 ft above the ground gracefully on tapering stems. ea \$.40, dz \$4.50, 100 \$35.00

EMPEROR A favorite yellow daffodil at a reasonable price. ea \$.15, dz \$1.25, 100 \$ 8.50

KING ALFRED The standard golden daffodil. Derservedly popular for many years.

jumbo oversize, ea \$.20, dz \$2.00, 100 \$15.00

round, ea \$.15, dz \$1.35, 100 \$ 9.00

MRS. E.H.KRELAGE Cream white waxy texture and good form. ea \$.25, dz \$2.50, 100 \$19.00

MRS. R.O.BACKHOUSE The famous PINK DAFFODIL. Ivory perianth with an apricot pink trumpet. Delicately beautiful, subtly shaded - exceptional substance.

ea \$1.50, three for \$4.00

SHORTER TRUMPET (*Barrii, Leedsii, Incomparabilis*)

DIANA KASNER (Bar) Cream perianth, large fluted cup with a blood red frill. Unusual.

ea \$.10, dz \$1.00, 100 \$ 8.00

DICK WELLBAND (Inc) Flame orange cup on a pure white perianth, color intensifying with age. A startling contrast. One of the outstanding narcissi in our collection. ea \$.50, dz \$5.00,

FRANCISCA DRAKE (Inc) White perianth petals tinted gold. The wide cup is golden yellow, changing to dazzling orange at the densely frilled edge. Beautiful.

ea \$.20, dz \$2.00, 100 \$16.00

GALLIPOLI (Inc) Exceeding decorative. Citron yellow with a double frilled orange shaded cup. Drooping habit.

ea \$.30, dz \$3.00, 100 \$25.00

GERTIE MILLAR (Lee) A giant among the Leedsii. Glorious combination of white and translucent cream. ea \$.45, dz \$ 5.00

JOHN EVELYN (Inc) Flat pure white perianth, 5 inches across. Densely frilled and shirred cup of clear lemon yellow.

ea \$.20, dz \$2.00, 100 \$16.00

MRS. NETTE O'MELVENY (Lee) White, lemony yellow, and an orange picotee. A dancing little flower. ea \$.15, dz \$1.35, 100 \$9.00

ORANGE GLOW (Inc) Yellow perianth with wide crown of deep orange. Elegantly frilled. ea \$.45, dz \$4.50, 100 \$40.00

SIR WATKIN (Inc) One of the best of its class. Perianth sulfur with a yellow cup tipped orange. ea \$.10, dz \$1.00, 100 \$ 9.00



THALIA

THE ORCHID-FLOWERING NARCISSESS. An unusual and exquisite Triandrus hybrid. Very early. Two to four large snow white pendant flowers on a strong stem.

ea \$.25, dz \$2.50, 100 \$20.

GOLDEN SCEPTRE

A JONQUIL HYBRID. Fine late flower, beautifully proportioned trumpet, deep yellow and delightfully fragrant.

ea \$.10

dz \$1.00

100 \$ 8.00





POETICUS

HORACE A superior POET'S NARCISSUS. Chalk white with a shallow yellow crown crimson tipped. Deliciously scented. Can be naturalized with charming effect.

ea \$.10, dz \$1.00, 100 \$ 7.50

POETAZ *(12 or more flowers, clustered)*

LAURENS KOSTER Delightfully fragrant, the clustered flowers have an orange cup on a white perianth.

ea \$.10, dz \$1.00, 100 \$ 8.00

RED GUARD Golden yellow suffused orange red. Deep orange red cup.

Striking flower.

ea \$.30, dz \$3.00, 100 \$25.00

DOUBLE TYPES

ALBA PLENA ODORATA Double white gardenia-flowered. Late. Does well in moist shade.

ea \$.10, dz \$1.00, 100 \$ 7.50

CHEERFULNESS Double pure white Poetaz; perianth with cream white and buff yellow petals. Clustered.

ea \$.15, dz \$1.50, 100 \$10.00

MARY COPELAND The most striking double. Pure white perianth with glowing orange segments.

ea \$.35, dz \$3.50, 100 \$25.00

TWINK Very full flower of primrose yellow and clear orange. Early, distinct, and unusual.

ea \$.20, dz \$2.00, 100 \$15.00

VAN SION The old-fashioned double daffodil. Rich gold.

ea \$.10, dz \$1.00, 100 \$ 8.00

THE LITTLE DAFFODILS

BULBOCODIUM CONSPICUUS A little golden yellow HOOP PETTICOAT.

Early and only 6 inches high. One of the prettiest of miniature flowers.

ea \$.10, dz \$1.00, 100 \$ 8.00

CAMPERNELLE A tiny golden jonquil. Fragrant.

ea \$.10, dz \$1.00, 100 \$ 7.50

CANALICULATUS A dainty little Poetaz type. Pendant. White perianth, golden yellow cup. From Mentone.

ea \$.10, dz \$1.00, 100 \$ 8.00

JONQUILLA SIMPLEX Charming clusters of numerous small rich yellow flowers, deliciously scented.

ea \$.10, dz \$1.25, 100 \$ 9.00

TRIANDRUS ALBUS (Angel's Tears) Creamy white and exquisitely dainty flowers from Spain. They prefer some shade.

ea \$.20, dz \$2.00, 100 \$15.00

W.P. MILNER Pale lemon or white, delightfully

free trumpet. ea \$.20, dz \$2.00, 100 \$15.00

BONE FLOUR - Fine ground bone meal at its best. A perfect slow acting fertilizer for bulbs. Use it generously with all bulb plantings

5 lbs 50¢ 10 lbs 90¢ 25 lbs \$1.50 50 lbs \$2.60 100 lbs \$4.25

SPECIAL MIXED DAFFODILS

Ideal for naturalizing and for cutting.
Wide variety of form and color.

ea \$.10, dz \$.95, 100 \$ 7.00

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FINE TULIPS

FOLLOWING THE VARIETY NAME, THE LETTER INDICATES THE RELATIVE EARLINESS OF BLOOM, AND THE NUMBER SHOWS THE USUAL HEIGHT IN INCHES. WE OFFER TOP SIZE BULBS NOT TO BE CONFUSED WITH SMALLER BULBS SOMETIMES OFFERED AT SOMEWHAT LOWER PRICES. FOR FINEST FLOWERS, USE THESE FINEST BULBS.

RED-SCARLET-CRIMSON

BARTIGON b25 Deep rosy scarlet, brighter at edge. dz \$1.15, 100 \$9.
 CITY OF HAARLEM c25 Deep vermillion scarlet. dz \$1.25, 100 \$10.00
 FARNCOMBE SANDERS c30 Brilliant rose, flushed geranium scarlet. dz \$1.00, 100 \$ 8.00
 GESNERIANA MAJOR d24 Dazzling cochineal red, shaded orange scarlet. dz \$1.25, 100 \$10.00
 KING GEORGE V c30 Large deep cherry rose. dz \$1.25, 100 \$ 9.00
 LA MERVILLE d18 Lustrous orange cherry. Slightly reflexed and deliciously scented. dz \$1.25, 100 \$10.00
 PRIDE OF HAARLEM a30 Bright carmine, blue base dz \$1.00, 100 \$ 8.00

PURPLE-LAVENDER

DREAM a27 Heliotrope lilac, silvery edges. dz \$1.00, 100 \$ 8.00
 LA TULIPE NOIRE c25 Velvety black, glistening dz \$1.25, 100 \$10.00
 LOUIS XIV c26 Purple, flushed bronze. Enormous dz \$1.25, 100 \$10.00
 MRS. POTTER PALMER c31 Bright ruby purple, large dz \$1.25, 100 \$10.00
 REV. EWBANK b25 Soft heliotrope, shaded lilac dz \$1.25, 100 \$ 9.00
 WILLIAM COPELAND a25 Pale purple to rose lavender dz \$.90, 100 \$ 7.
 PURPLE GIANT Intense color - a grand flower. dz \$1.50, 100 \$12.00

YELLOW-ORANGE

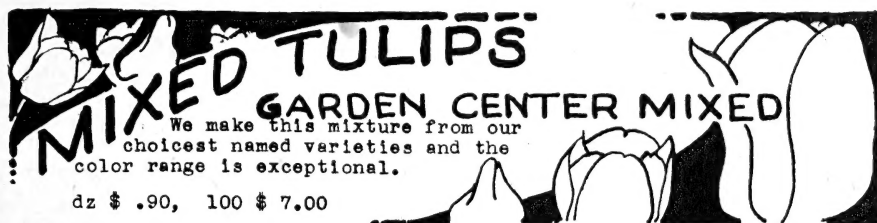
AVIS KENNICOTT c27 Deep canary yellow dz \$1.25, 100 \$10.00
 BRONZE QUEEN d28 Bronze buff, yellow base dz \$1.25, 100 \$10.00
 INGLESOMBE YELLOW d18 Glossy canary yellow. dz \$1.00, 100 \$ 8.00
 MOONLIGHT a20 Pale primrose yellow. A fine long oval flower. dz \$1.25, 100 \$10.00
 ORANGE KING c24 Vivid orange cup dz \$1.25, 100 \$10.00
 MRS. MOON d28 Canary yellow. Pointed and reflexed dz \$1.00, 100 \$ 8.
 YELLOW GIANT d30 Pure golden yellow globe dz \$1.25, 100 \$ 9.00

PINK-ROSE-SALMON

AFTERGLOW c28 Apricot crimson edged with orange salmon. dz \$1.35
 BARONNE DE LA TONNAYE c30 Rose, silvered edged dz \$1.00, 100 \$ 8.00
 CLARA BUTT c23 Lovely soft salmon pink. dz \$.90, 100 \$ 7.00
 DIDO c30 Light jasper-red flushed amber and gold dz \$1.50, 100 \$11.
 INGLESOMBE PINK b24 Lively salmon pink dz \$1.25, 100 \$ 9.00
 MADAME KRELAGE b32 Bright cherry to silvery rose dz \$1.10, 100 \$ 8.
 PRINCESS ELIZABETH c29 Clear deep pink, large dz \$1.00, 100 \$ 8.00
 ROSE COPELAND a30 Silver rose, crimson tipped dz \$1.00, 100 \$ 8.00
 SIRENE Cherry rose, reflexed. One of the best of the lily flowered tulips. dz \$1.00, 100 \$ 8.00

WHITE

CARRARA b23 A large round flower of purest white dz \$1.25, 100 \$10.
 PIGOTTE c22 Primrose changing to pure white. Pointed and beautifully reflexed petals edged with carmine. dz \$1.00, 100 \$ 8.00
 ZWANENBURG c26 Large white with black anthers dz \$1.25 100 \$10.00



MIXED TULIPS

GARDEN CENTER MIXED

We make this mixture from our
choicest named varieties and the
color range is exceptional.

dz \$.90, 100 \$ 7.00

REGULAR MIXED --- all colors: dz \$.75, 100 \$ 6.00

TRIUMPH TULIPS

This is a superb new class which flowers in April and May. The colors are clear. The flowers are large and carried on tall stems. We offer three of the best:

MR. ZIMMERMAN Bright deep carmine with a heavy cream white margin.
dz \$1.25, 100 \$ 9.00

OTTAWA Intense canary yellow double flowers with petals of great substance. Outstanding.
dz \$1.25, 100 \$ 9.00

U.S.A. Flaming orange red merging to orange. dz \$1.25, 100 \$ 9.00



FANTASY The parrot tulip. One of the most unusual of flowers - salmon rose pink with slashed petals, strangely marked with apple green shadings. dz \$1.50, 100 \$11.00

SINGLE EARLY TULIPS

With brilliant colors in April, this shorter stemmed group opens the tulip season:

CRIMSON BRILLIANT cl2 Glowing deep crimson scarlet.
GENERAL DE WET cl4 Orange, shaded scarlet.
KEIZERSKROON al5 Bright crimson scarlet, bordered clear canary yellow.
The gayest of all tulips and one of the earliest.
YELLOW PRINCE bl0 Deep canary.
WHITE SWAN bl5 Pure white.

All the above are: dz \$1.25, 100 \$ 9.00
Single early mixed, all colors: dz \$1.00, 100 \$ 8.00

REMINDERS

for all war gardeners

Egyptian Onion Sets - can be sown late in the fall - are winter hardy and produce succulent young scallions for early spring.
1 lb. 20¢, 1b. 35¢


DONT FORGET A COVER CROP!

By all means, a cover crop for your Victory garden. A good one is a rye-vetch mixture which can be sown thru October. It will help to stifle weeds, prevent the soil from washing and, turned under during the spring preparation, will give invaluable live humus and plant food to the soil. 1 pound will cover 200 square feet.

1 lb. 10¢	10 lb. \$1.15
5 lb. 65¢	25 lb. \$2.35

and buy war stamps with your change

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HARDY LILIES

Hardy lilies, properly grown, add character and beauty to any planting. Soil should be prepared deeply, humus should be added and bone meal generously applied.

LILIUM CANDIDUM The Madonna Lily
A stately lily of purest white, one of the oldest and best known. Plant shallow, covering bulbs with about 2 inches of soil. ea \$.50, dz \$5.50

LILIUM PARDALINUM The Panther Lily.
Recurved petals of magnificent orange spotted crimson. Plant 5 in. deep. July, 4 to 6 ft ea \$.30, dz \$3.00

LILIUM REGALE Waxy white blooms with golden throat, streaked brown to pink on the outside. Plant 9 in. deep. July, 3 to 5 feet large, ea \$.35, dz \$4.00
monster, ea \$.50, dz \$5.50

LILIUM TENUIFOLIUM The Coral Lily Tiny recurved flowers of deep scarlet. June, 18 inches. ea \$.25, dz \$2.50

LILIUM UMBELLATUM Handsome upturned flower of orange scarlet, 15 or more on a stem. 8 inches deep. June, 2'-2½' ea \$.35, dz \$3.50


MARK YOUR BULB PLANTINGS

with the PERFECT GARDEN LABEL

Marked with ordinary lead pencil, these labels present a permanent record. There is ample room for writing.

	Rock Garden Size	Border Size	Show Size
12 labels	\$.90	\$1.00	\$1.25
25 labels	1.75	2.00	2.50

BULBS for your WINDOW GARDEN

- AMARYLLIS** Gorgeous lily like flowers, white thru pink to velvety red. large, ea \$.60; monster, ea \$.75
- CALLA LILY WHITE** Immaculate flowers, glossy foliage. monster, ea \$.60
- CALLA LILY YELLOW** The Golden Calla Leaves spotted white on rich green. A striking winter pot plant. Extra large bulbs. ea \$.50, dz \$5.00
- FREESIAS** Fragrant winter flowers. Penseirosa (pink), Golden Daffodil, White Chief dz \$.55
- HYACINTH, ROMAN WHITE** Loose fragrant spikes. ea \$.35, dz \$3.50
- IXIA** Colorful South African bulbs dz \$.75, 100 \$5.
- NARCISSUS, PAPER WHITE** Lovely fragrant white flowers, easily grown in pebbles and water.
small, ea \$.05, dz \$.50, 100 \$4.00
medium, ea \$.06, dz \$.65, 100 \$5.00
large, ea \$.07, dz \$.75, 100 \$6.00
- NARCISSUS, GRAND SOLEIL D'OR** A golden yellow form of paper white. ea \$15, dz \$1.25, 100 \$9.00
- OXALIS** Clover like foliage with many small flowers of pink, yellow or white. A delightful little plant. Use about 6 bulbs to a small pot. dz \$.50, 100 \$4.00
- RANUNCULUS, TECOLOTE GIANT** Buttercup-like blossoms in every conceivable color. dz \$.60
100 \$5.00
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OTHER HARDY BULBS

CHIONODOXA LUCILIAE These tiny blue flowers resemble scillas but are held erect on 5 inch stems. Charming for extra early bloom, they are aptly called "Glory of the Snow". The variety *sardensis* is somewhat smaller and darker blue.
either variety dz 75¢, 100 \$6.00

COLCHICUM Great crocus-like flowers blooming in September and October without foliage, one bulb sending out from 5 to 15 or more blooms. Even if left unplanted, they will bloom without soil or water and make a fascinating desk or table ornament. We offer the variety *Giganteum*, a soft rose lavender, white throated and honey scented. They will increase easily in congenial surroundings. They may be separated and replanted when the foliage dies down in the spring.
each 35¢, dz \$3.50

CAMASSIA ESCULENTA Fine rich purple star-shaped flowers 2 feet high. Good for naturalizing in wet places.
each 10¢, dz \$1.00

GALANTHUS or Snowdrops These nodding white bells are one of the very earliest flowers, about 6 inches high.
dz 60¢, 100 \$4.00

IRIS, DUTCH (illustrated on this page) Superb cut flowers, these iris come from bulbs that are perfectly hardy in well-drained soil. Clear brilliant colors. Wedgewood, rich blue; Excelsior, white; and Yellow Queen, pale yellow and gold.
dz 75¢, 100 \$6.00

MUSCARI HEAVENLY BLUE Stiff little spikes of grape-like bells, deep cobalt blue, and not over 6 to 8 inches high. They grow easily and increase rapidly.
dz 60¢, 100 \$4.00

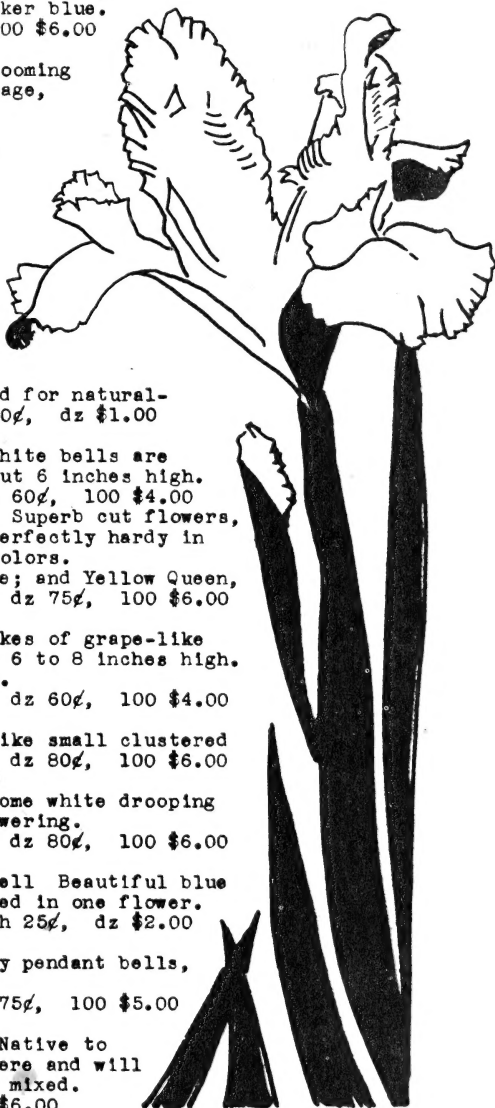
MUSCARI ALBA The same in pure white, like small clustered pearls.
dz 80¢, 100 \$6.00

LEUCOCYJUM AESTIVUM The Snowflake Handsome white drooping bells, 14 to 18 inches high. May flowering.
dz 80¢, 100 \$6.00

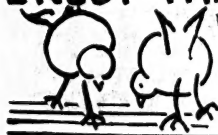
MERTENSIA VIRGINICA The Virginia Bluebell Beautiful blue and pink bells, the two colors combined in one flower. Large roots, each 25¢, dz \$2.00

ORNITHOGALUM NUTANS Silver Stars Silky pendant bells, silver gray shaded sea green.
each 10¢, dz 75¢, 100 \$5.00

SCILLA CAMPANULATA The Wood Hyacinth Native to Spain and Portugal. Flowers easily here and will tolerate shade. White, rose, blue or mixed.
each 10¢, dz 80¢, 100 \$6.00



ENJOY THE WILD BIRDS THIS WINTER



WILD BIRD SEED - a properly balanced ration
BIRD HOUSES - all kinds for all birds
FEEDING STATIONS - for windows or trees
SEPARATE BIRD SEEDS - millet, sunflower,
peanut, kaffir corn, etc.

EVERY THING FOR WILD BIRD CARE

SOW LAWN SEED THIS FALL

To build a new lawn or to repair an old one - the frequent rains, the shorter days, and the cool nights of Fall are ideal. Grass seed germinates quickly and grows vigorously. In planting Connecticut lawns, use CONNECTICUT SEALED GRASSES of guaranteed analysis. We carry these grasses exclusively. Only grasses that come up to Connecticut's rigid standards can receive the State's seals.

GOLD SEAL 1 lb. 60¢, 5 lbs \$2.75, 25 lbs \$12.50

BLUE SEAL 1 lb. 55¢, 5 lbs \$2.50, 25 lbs \$11.25

RED SEAL 1 lb. 45¢, 5 lbs \$2.00, 25 lbs \$8.75

A special Blue Sealed MIXTURE FOR SHADY PLACES

1 lb. 60¢, 5 lbs \$2.65, 25 lbs \$12.00

We carry an extensive line of separate grasses, clovers, and seed for cover crops. Prices on request.

JAPIDEMIC KILLS THE GRUB OF THE JAP BEETLE IN THE SOIL
MILKY DISEASE SPORE WE HAVE IT!

CHRISTMAS GREENS

THE GARDEN CENTER becomes THE CHRISTMAS CENTER in December. We offer a wealth of all the hard to get greens - mistletoe, juniper, holly, balsam, pine, hemlock. Buy them separately and make up your own designs, or we will make them for you. Early orders for wreaths appreciated.

from snow shovels to hay rakes

throughout the year

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